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OUTLINES.

Yesterday at the opening of the University of Havana, Secretary Taft delivered a speech which won the hearts of the Cubans and reassured them that it was only the purpose of the United States to aid them in establishing their republic; he won the approval of the highest intellectual, moral and social element of Havana; his other acts yesterday won the favor of the people—Secretary Taft, Governor of the provisional government of Cuba will draft a proclamation of amnesty, which will release from prison all those held on account of the rebellion; the insurgents will begin laying down their arms today—The first troops for Cuba embarked from New York yesterday, the force being 900 men; others are to go from Newport News where the government has rented land for commissary warehouses and as a place of rendezvous for troops—President Roosevelt and some of his family returned to Washington yesterday from their summer home at Oyster Bay, N. Y.—The new meat inspection law went into effect yesterday and as a large number have failed to comply with the law, they cannot do interstate business—Mobile was fearful of another storm yesterday, having suffered additional loss from a down pour of 4 inches of rain; the death toll from the big storm in that city will probably reach 120 and the property loss \$8,000,000—At Pensacola the death from the great storm were 33—New York markets: Money on call strong 4 1/2 to 5 per cent, ruling rate 6 1/2 to 7, closing bid 4 1/2, offered at 5; spot cotton 35 points advance, closing quiet at 10.25; flour firm but slow; wheat firm, No. 2 red, 79 5/8 elevator; corn steady, No. 2, 56 elevator; oats steady, mixed, 37 1-2; turpentine firm; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.15 to 4.20.

For once Atlanta got more notoriety than she wanted.

Willie Taft is worth several regiments of soldiers—to the Cuban insurgents.

A man at Norristown, Pa., declares that a stroke of lightning will cure the rheumatism. We are willing to take his word for it.

A doctor says: "It is dangerous to sit with your back to the crack of the door." It must be admitted, however, that there is more danger from the crack of a revolver.

Says the Jacksonville Times-Union: "Grafting in the Philippines has been discovered again. Investigation will always reveal it in carpet bag governments." That's no joke.

By the way, we neglected to try "benevolent assimilation" on the American Indian. However, it may be that the Indian preferred to be chased to the tall timber than assimilate in the way we wanted him to do it.

Gastonia is getting up stock for her eleventh cotton mill. There is no secret about what makes Gastonia grow. Her own people make it grow and don't waste any time expecting outsiders to come in and build the town.

President Roosevelt colored constituents in the South endorse his order for simplified spelling. They regard it as nothing but coming down to their method of using the King's English.

Newspapers are commenting on the ominous silence of the Hon. G. Cleveland and are wondering why he doesn't speak out about some of the things that are being saddled on the Democracy. Probably the old man has settled down and quit cussing.

We don't want Cuba unless Cuba wants to join the happy American family. If they vote for annexation, all well and good, but as to doing the annexation stunt without "the consent of the governed"—well that is undemocratic and un-American.

Don't see much in accusing the radicals of being pie-hunters. No good Democrat will turn down an office and for every office in the land we want a good Democrat. Wouldn't it be pie if we could have it that way—from President to constable? The trouble with the Republicans is that their scramble for pie is conspicuously scandalous.

HORROR AMAGE SUIT

Interesting Case in Superior Court, Plaintiff Asks for Recovery of \$40,000.

LOST HIS RIGHT ARM

Accident Alleged to Be Result of Negligence of Consolidated Company. Jury Empaneled and Testimony Being Heard—Other Matters.

The case of Melvin Horne against the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company in which the plaintiff asks damages in the sum of \$40,000 for the loss of an arm as the result of an accident while he was employed as a lamp trimmer for the company and engaged at Front and Dock streets on the 22nd of February, 1904, occupied all of yesterday's session of the Superior Court the same being the first day of the two weeks term for the trial of civil suits. The jury was secured and empaneled with little difficulty about 11 o'clock and the hearing was immediately entered into. Two witnesses had been called to the stand during the afternoon when court took a recess at 6 o'clock until 9:30 o'clock this morning. It is doubtful if the case can be completed before to-morrow night.

The circumstances of the injuries sustained by young Mr. Horne are well remembered. The case has been on the docket for some time and at a previous trial the plaintiff was given a verdict of \$5,000, but the Supreme Court held that there was some error in the first instance and a new trial was granted. The attorneys engaged are Messrs. Herbert McChammy, Rountree & Carr and Woodus Kellum for the plaintiff and Messrs. Meares & Ruark and Davis & Davis for the defendant company, which sets up in its answer that there was contributory negligence. The jury empaneled to try the case is composed of Messrs. H. M. Millner, G. W. Frederick, J. W. Brooks, David J. Joyner, Jr., Jno. H. Hanby, C. H. Bonham, T. E. King, J. S. Potter, F. T. Skipper, I. B. Rhodes, J. W. Murchison and L. W. Baggett.

The first witness yesterday was the plaintiff himself. He went on the stand shortly before the hour for recess for dinner and was subjected to a rigid cross-examination until well into the afternoon. A model of the electric wiring in the vicinity of the scene of the accident has been made by Mr. Raymond Hunt, electrician for the Consolidated Company, and this is being used in connection with the evidence as it is being given in.

Following Mr. Horne, the plaintiff introduced Mr. C. E. Horton, an electrician from Raleigh, formerly with the Consolidated Company, in this city. Mr. Horton had given in his direct testimony when the hour for adjournment was reached for the day. He will resume his testimony when court reconvenes this morning.

The evidence in the case is being taken in shorthand by Miss Stella Shrier and in the event of a verdict either way an appeal will likely be taken to the Supreme Court. There are no very important cases set for today.

The only other matters disposed of in the court yesterday was a verdict for divorce in the case of Simmons against Simmons and a continuance in the case of W. H. Futrell against the Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company.

Plumbers on Strike.

Several of the journeymen plumbers in the city went on strike yesterday in protest of the alleged violation of Rule 7 of the local union providing that where there are two master plumbers in one shop only one will be permitted to work and said master plumber must be governed by the United Association. Only one or two of the smaller local shops are affected by the strike.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. B. Leach & Co.—Securities.
D. McEachern, chairman—Rewards.
Julius P. Taylor—The Tailor.
P. H. Krahnke & Sons—Removal Notice.

A. S. Holden—St. John's Lodge A. F. and A. M.

Peoples' Savings Bank—Today Special.

Business Locals.

Lost—Gold Brooch.
For Rent—Nicely Furnished Rooms.
For Lodgers—Pleasant Rooms.
Morris Bear Bros.—Fox Terrier lost.
Wanted—Board for Couple.

Mr. John H. McDougall, Well Known Citizen, Passed Away at Hospital Sunday Afternoon—Funeral Conducted Yesterday Afternoon.

Mr. John H. McDougall, a well known and highly respected citizen of Wilmington, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock within an hour and a half after he had entered that institution for an operation for relief from congestion of the stomach with which he had suffered intensely until about noon. His death ensued while he was on the operating table, his constitution being too weak to withstand what was necessary for the relief of his suffering. The news of his death was learned with sorrow by a great many friends, who were drawn to him in ties of the warmest friendship. It was not known that his condition was at all serious and his death came as a great shock. He walked from his home at 314 Walnut street to the ambulance and appeared in very good condition for the operation in every way until the actual test came and the thread of life was snapped asunder in the twinkling of an eye.

Mr. McDougall was 52 years of age, was born in Scotland and had lived a greater part of his life in this country. For a number of years he had been an expert moulder in different iron foundries in this city and came near losing his life in an explosion at the Wilmington Iron Works some years ago. He was a man of irreproachable character, a devoted member of the Brooklyn Baptist church and an officer of that congregation, manifesting a lively interest in all that tended to the uplift of his fellow man. His church, his community and his family suffer a great loss in his removal from this life. He leaves to mourn their loss his wife, one son, Mr. John McDougall and two daughters.

The funeral of Mr. McDougall was conducted at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Brooklyn Baptist church by Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., and the interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers included former associates of Mr. McDougall at his trade, among the number being Messrs. W. H. Scarborough, W. B. Newkirk, Z. E. Murrell and T. E. Lupo.

A CLASS OF FORTY-THREE.

That Number Now Receiving Free Gratis the McKanna Cure.

Dr. J. J. McKanna, the three-day liquor cure expert of Reidsville, now has under his care a class of 43 persons who are taking his celebrated remedy. These are each recommended by the pastors of city churches, who were invited by Dr. McKanna to send to him this week as many worthy patients as they could find and he would treat them all free of charge. In other words "McKanna Pays the Freight" and is confident of carrying out his every promise to the pastors to restore these men to their normal condition. Dr. McKanna is assisted by two attendants from his Reidsville Sanitarium.

A Day of Prayer.

The Day of Prayer, which is always observed each year by the Woman's Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery, will take place on next Saturday at Warsaw church. The programme includes opening devotional exercises by Rev. R. M. Mann, of Clinton; an address by Dr. A. L. Phillips and lunch in the morning, with a song service conducted by Mrs. Witherpoon, a Bible institute conducted by Dr. A. D. McClure, and open parliament conducted by Mrs. J. A. Brown, a report from the agents of the Worth Hospital and scholarship and a reason of prayer led by Miss Margaret Prince. In the afternoon it is hoped to have a very large attendance.

Opening of City Schools.

In spite of the driving rain yesterday morning all the city schools opened well and the outlook is for a most successful year's work. The total enrollment for the first day in the white schools was about 1,700. Of this number 200 are at the High school, 900 at Union and 600 at Hemenway. All the teachers are in their places and the work has begun most auspiciously.

W. L. I. Bazaar Committees.

All committees from the company on the W. L. I. Bazaar next week are requested to meet at the armory to-night for the transaction of important business. It is very desirable that all be present.

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ENLARGE THE JAIL

Matter Under Consideration at Regular Monthly Meeting County Commissioners.

BRIDGE NORTHEAST RIVER

Resolution Presented by Mr. Whitehead For Concurrent Action With Pender Authorities—Reward For Murders.

The October meeting of the Board of County Commissioners yesterday afternoon was not specially interesting. The most important matter considered was the enlargement of the county jail which has been under contemplation for some time. Mr. Geo. G. Smith, of Asheville, representing the Pauley Jail Company, was present with plans and specifications for the proposed enlargement of the prison, but after a full discussion of the subject it was decided to postpone the awarding of the contract until other parties are heard from. The work, however, will be undertaken this fall and will be completed as soon as possible. The Pauley Jail Company built the present structure and Mr. Smith very much hopes to get the contract for the enlargement.

The Board met at 3 P. M., Chairman McEachern and Commissioners Alexander, Robertson and Vollers present.

Application of Walter H. Hubbard to retail liquors at 123 Market street was referred to the chairman with power to act when same is in proper form.

Application of J. G. Kuhlken for change of assessment on property in Block 295 was granted.

Petition of J. D. Woody and others for a new road was referred to the committee on Greenville Road to report on same.

Petition of D. L. T. Capps for division of certain property for taxes in Block 74, was referred to Commissioners Robertson and Vollers with power to act.

J. M. Bryan, Harnett township, for exemption from poll tax on account of physical disability, was not granted, the application being a real estate owner.

Mr. Z. W. Whitehead appeared before the Board and urged the importance of building a bridge across Northeast river at Castle Haynes to take the place of the toll ferry now existing there. He presented a resolution which was adopted, expressing it as the sense of the Board that the bridge should be built and inviting the Pender county Board of Commissioners to name a time and place when the authorities from the two counties may meet and confer on the subject with a view of adopting the most feasible plan for expediting the building of an iron or steel structure across the stream.

The Superintendent of Health reported three cases of diphtheria during September; 126 patients were prescribed for in the office during September and 18 were visited at their homes. The county institutions were reported in their usual good sanitary condition. The superintendent was granted a vacation of 15 days.

It was ordered that the valuation of property of M. O'Brien in Block 262 be changed to conform to assessment. The county attorneys reported \$75.95 net back tax collections during the month.

The chairman reported that license to retail liquor had been granted to A. W. Branch, by authority conferred at the last meeting.

Matter of assessment of the property of the old New Hanover shingle mills, now belonging to the Cape Fear Lumber Co., was referred to a committee composed of Messrs. McEachern and Divine.

Application of Masonboro citizens for strapping Federal Point road was referred to the roads committee.

The Permanent Roads Committee reported that 10 cars of material for the top-dressing of the Scott's Hill macadam had been ordered from Savannah at a cost of \$1.42 per ton.

The Superintendent of the County Home reported 18 inmates during the month, 11 white and 7 colored, nine convicts.

Complaint from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General that a gate is maintained in the county line fence, on the Harrison Creek road, near Castle Haynes and that the rural free delivery route from Rocky Point will be discontinued unless the gate is removed or an automatic gate substituted, was read and referred to the Chairman who stated that the gate now maintained is a lawful one and

A. & M. Defeats Randolph Macon—Members of Theatrical Company—Seriously Injured—Great Progress of Columbus.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 1.—The football season opened here this afternoon by the A. & M. and Randolph-Macon, of Virginia; score, 39 to 0 in favor of the A. & M. The game was witnessed by 800 people. The most sensational feature was Captain Wilson's touchdown from the center of the field made by a "forward pass" trick only just approved this season under the new rules.

Three members of the "Little Duchess" company were thrown from a trap while out driving this morning and one, Miss Josephine Burns, sustained serious injuries internally. She has been having convulsions this afternoon. One of the other two was unable to take part in the play at the Academy to-night.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner returned this morning from a week's trip through Columbus county, making speeches in connection with a campaign being carried on in various parts of the county for local taxation and general improvement of the public schools. He declares that Columbus is making as satisfactory progress as any county in Eastern Carolina in educational matters and that in general industrial and agricultural progress he has visited no county in the State that is ahead of the people of Columbus. The county now has thirteen local tax districts and others are pending with every prospect of success. A number of excellent new rural school houses are being erected. He saw one just completed costing \$3,000, a large part of the money contributed by the people of the district and \$500 loaned by the State. Another, nearing completion, will cost \$2,500 built in the same way, both handsome, well-appointed, two-story buildings. Mr. Joyner had five appointments and spoke to over 1,500 people.

It developed that the hazing incident at the A. & M. College in which freshmen shot through the door and inflicted a flesh wound on a member of a party of sophomores who were trying to break in to haze the freshmen had no connection with the expulsion of the four sophomore students last week, the hazing they did being, as stated officially at the time, the making of freshmen do menial work such as cleaning the sophomores' rooms. The shooting incident occurred several days before the four sophomores were expelled. This correspondence merely stated the fact that the report was current here that the four students expelled were involved in the shooting incident and that this had to do with their being expelled. The hazing spirit in the college seems to be thoroughly squelched, thanks to the vigorous and pre-emptory manner in which President Winston, backed by the college faculty and the majority of the student body, has meted out punishment.

Harbor Master's Report.
The report of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master, shows that during September 33 vessels of 90 tons and over reached this port, of which number 24 were American and consisted of 11 steamers and 13 schooners, and 9 were foreign, consisting of 8 steamers and one barque. The total tonnage was 31,800 of which 17,847 was American and 13,953 foreign.

Postoffice Receipts.

The receipts at the Wilmington postoffice for the quarter ended October 1st, show the very gratifying increase of 12.3 per cent, over last year. The receipts for the past month likewise show a very substantial increase.

he saw no reason to substitute the worthless automatic arrangement which would make the county liable to damage for any destruction of crops by stock from the outside.

The contract for feed and forage was awarded to the B. F. Mitchell Co.

A reward of \$100 was offered each for the arrest and delivery to the sheriff of New Hanover county of Fred Hill, alias Fields, and William Asho both colored, charged with murder.

The Register of Deeds made report of 11 marriage licenses issued to white couples, and 17 to colored persons.

In addition to the reward for the two negroes, Chairman McEachern has asked Governor Glenn, through Solicitor Duffy to offer a like reward from the State. The request will likely be complied with by the Governor.

50 doz. Fay Stockings on sale at Gaylord's this week; 25c pair.

THE STATE CAPITAL BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Meeting Last Night of Rather Shorter Duration Than Usual on Such Occasions.

MUCH ROUTINE BUSINESS

General Conditions as to Law and Order in Community Discussed—Water Works Matter in Mild Form. Other Notes.

The Board of Aldermen was in session less than two hours last night, no matters of special importance having been taken up for consideration. During the progress of the session Mayor Waddell took occasion upon an advent of Alderman W. H. Yopp to that clause in the recent grand jury's report referring to the congregation of idle negroes in the northern part of the city, to say that in his opinion the solution of this problem is the closing up of all such places of resort frequented by these disorderly throngs and a rigid enforcement of the vagrancy laws. It was with the Aldermen to decline to grant liquor licenses to saloons which permitted negroes to congregate therein indiscriminately and, as to his position on the enforcement of the vagrancy law, he pointed with satisfaction to the police records which show that during his administration 126 arrests for vagrancy had been made against forty-odd under any other Mayor.

In another connection, both Alderman O'Brien and Alderman Rathjen took occasion to say in behalf of the reputable dealers that the Aldermen in the future should exercise a greater care in the issuance of liquor licenses to the end that only responsible men should be allowed to engage in the traffic. Alderman O'Brien spoke of being much impressed with a speech he heard from Solicitor Duffy in the court house the past week, quoting liberally from what that official had to say of the proper persons to engage in the sale of liquor.

The tenor of all the addresses last night along this line, no doubt prompted by the trouble in Atlanta, was to the effect that great care should be exercised in the granting of liquor licenses in the future and no doubt this policy will be pursued. It is known also that the city authorities are mindful of the need of a strict enforcement of the vagrancy law, especially in view of the great scarcity of labor, and that developments of a substantial nature may be expected later.

The Board met promptly at 8 o'clock and all members were in their places except Aldermen W. E. Yopp and W. W. King, who could not attend. The absence of any considerable number of spectators was noticeable after the meetings of the past two or three months. The minutes of previous meetings were read and approved, with slight alteration. Before proceeding with the regular order of business, L. V. Grady, Esq., presented an application to retail liquor from Walter H. Hubbard, of Columbus county. Mr. Grady admitted that proper advertisement had not been made, but contended that the Code Revisal nullified the act requiring notice in that the Revisal did not carry the section in regard to advertisement. Mr. Grady read an endorsement of the application from R. E. L. Brown, J. H. Land and other citizens of Chadbourn. The city attorney sustained the opinion of Mr. Grady as to the Code Revisal's eliminating the advertising clause from the general law. Upon motion of Mr. O'Brien the matter was referred to the Standing Committee on Applications with power to act. Application for transfer of liquor license of E. E. Rouse, at No. 115 South Front street, to F. M. McKay, and W. M. Troutman & Co. to run a distillery, took the same course.

Chairman O'Brien, of the Streets and Wharves Committee, made report recommending that Tenth street be opened from Campbell to Moore street, giving access to the Hutt and Sweeney property, the city having a right of way across the MacRae lands. The only expense incident to opening the street will be the filling of a ravine. Chairman O'Brien also reported that the Red Cross macadam had been completed to Ninth street and that after a conference with the hospital authorities and the chairman of the Board of Audit and Finance, it had been decided to extend the work to Eleventh street.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For State Senate—Eleventh District: George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick.

For Representative—George L. Morton.

For Sheriff—S. Percy Cowan.

For Clerk of the Superior Court—John D. Taylor.

For Register of Deeds—John Haar.

For Treasurer—Hector McL. Green.

For Coroner—C. D. Bell.

For County Commissioners—Duncan McEachern, William F. Robertson, H. L. Vollers, W. F. Alexander and Morrison W. Divine.

For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.

For Representative in Congress—Sixth District: Hannibal L. Godwin, of Harnett.

For Corporation Commissioner: Franklin McNeill, of Wake.

For Judge Superior Court—Fifth District: Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.

For Solicitor Fifth District: Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.

OUTLOOK FOR COTTON.

The cotton market outlook is very interesting at present. The news from the South and Southwest has not varied until two days ago. A large crop, we were told, was not only expected, it was actually made—picking was going on at a rapid rate. The receipts were large and promised to be daily larger. A crop of 13 millions was certain—it might reach 14 millions easily, and a late frost would roll the figures to 15 millions.

There were no Bulls in the market—even in the South the cry was "sell, sell," and the Bears in the New York exchange sold and sold and sold, until October went down to 8.70 and lower. Millions of bales were sold, perhaps twice as many as have been made or will be made, and the lower the price went the more they sold.

All this was done in spite of the recognized fact that the cotton goods trade at home and abroad was never more prosperous. The New England mills cleared over 40 per cent. profit on the business for twelve months past. Many of them made much more. A correspondent of this paper in a New England town told us that the head of a large mill company capitalized at one million dollars had not only cleared 40 per cent. for the year but had sold its product ahead for many months on the basis of 12 cents for raw cotton and a big profit added. The usually pessimistic jeremiads of the European mills underwent a marvelous change also. They made so much profit on 10 and 11 cent cotton spinning and weaving that their joy could not be confined. An immense business abroad has been done. The English mills were even more successful; one of them was reported as having made a profit at the rate of 74 per cent. per annum. But, the steady decline in New York futures had its effect on the price of raw cotton. The foreign and domestic mills have been holding off the market for lower prices which the New York Bears said were imminent.

Now the scene has changed. A hurricane has devastated the region of the Gulf—Mobile and Pensacola are in ruins—a heavy rain is falling throughout the cotton belt and a panic has seized the overconfident Bears who did not reckon upon this contingency. The cotton planters are now talking about ten cents as a minimum price, and it seems very likely that they will get it. The Star advocates meeting the market slowly and realizing thereby a good average value.

Farmers should not be speculators, but a united association and a reasonable basis of value in view of the demand and supply should insure another year of prosperity to the makers of this kingly crop.

THE MAGAZINES.

The American Magazine for October has been received. It is one of the most meritorious publications in this country and the public will be deeply interested in its entertaining and valuable contents, embracing a refreshing variety of matter of the most human interest. This magazine is always excellent but the publishers go right on broadening the scope of the publication. In the present number they make the interesting announcement that a new editorial management begins its work. The able editor has gathered about him a corps of writers who are probably impressing the American public today more than any class of contributors connected with the publications of the United States. It is only necessary to mention such keen investigators and virile writers as William Allen White, Ida M. Tarbell, Lincoln Steffens, Samuel Hopkins Adams, Stewart Edward White, Ray Stannard Baker, and last but not least, F. P. Dunne, whose inimitable humor as "Mr. Dooley" is the most philosophical merriment of the age. With a corps of assistants and contributors like that one can imagine what the contents of a magazine will be. The American Magazine sells for 10 cents per copy and is sent a year for \$1. Address: The Phillips Publishing Co., 141-147 Fifth Avenue, New York.

The Cosmopolitan for October has a unique and bright frontispiece and it is peculiarly and appropriately indicative of the contents of the number.

There isn't a dull page in the magazine but on the contrary they are conspicuous for virility. Among the featured articles is "Why Labor Shuns Panama," by Poulney Bigelow, who gives the administration on the Canal Zone another swat. However, there are scores of other articles and contributions that challenge intense interest, among them are, "Freeing the Child-Slave," "Rise of New San Francisco," "An Aid to Modern Business," etc. Again David Graham Phillips lifts the lid off with another one of his articles on "The Treason of the Senate," calling names as usual—but it's no use to attempt to follow up all that is in The Cosmopolitan. The magazine is on sale at 10 cents per copy or is sent a year for \$1. Address Cosmopolitan Magazine, 1789 Broadway, New York.

The Atlantic Monthly for October is one of unusual merit. Its high literary tone is well maintained in its contents of story, poetry and current discussions. The magazine contains numerous noteworthy articles, included among them one on "Commercial Panics Past and Future," and the articles of "Nicholas Worth" who is contributing an interesting series entitled "Autobiography of a Southerner." In the list of contents we also find a thoughtful article on "The Automobile as a Rest-Cure," besides a great variety of matter that goes to keep the Atlantic Monthly up to its established reputation. The magazine sells at 35 cents a copy and is sent a year for \$4.00. Address Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 4 Park street, Boston.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—There are thousands of people in Texas waiting for something to turn up who do not dare to get within hailing distance of a cotton patch.—Houston Post.

—While Jerome is turning himself loose for good citizenship, he might loosen up a bit as to where he got his big campaign fund last year.—Washington Post.

—Senator Daniel coins a new word in his debate with Mr. Bryan. The "politication" of the railroads. Mr. Bryan, however, prefers that to the railroadization of the government.—Atlanta Journal.

—The Delta County (Mich.) Indian who has just wedded Mary Kick-hole-in-the-sky and acquired a mother-in-law afraid-of-no-man may soon be in a position to understand why marriage is often a failure.—Washington Post.

—The size of the fleet President Roosevelt is assembling in Cuban waters.

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ters suggests that perhaps he intends to tow the island up to Florida and annex it geographically as well as politically.—New York Commercial.

—The New York Republicans announce themselves in favor of tariff revision by the Republicans. But if revision spells ruin, as the stand-patters say, how it will help matters that the authors of it are Republicans?—Norfolk Virginia Pilot.

—Some weeks past Mr. R. N. Hackett produced an affidavit from Mr. McEwen, of Wilkes, that did not place Mr. Spencer Blackburn in a very favorable light. Blackburn referred to Hackett's presentation of this matter as "a Democratic lie." McEwen has reiterated every statement made in original affidavit and challenged Blackburn to deny it. As yet nothing has been heard from the Congressman on this subject, although he has had plenty of time to notice it in some way. And this is the man the Republicans say should be elected to Congress.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

—General Funston is hardly the man to put in charge of the army of occupation if we have to pacify Cuba. During the last revolution against Spain, Funston fought for two years in the Cuban service, but surrendered himself to the Spaniards immediately after a victory over them. It is said in his defense that he took this course because the insurgents violated a flag of truce and butchered a Spanish officer and his whole command. If this is true, General Funston was not to blame for getting out of the insurgent service; still, the fact remains that the Cubans who fought Spain cannot regard him with anything but hostility and distrust, and they might ask him if he had acted in accordance with the rules of decent warfare in trapping Aguinaldo by the process of forgery. General Funston's courage and ability are admitted, but he would be handicapped in Cuba.—Norfolk Landmark.

TWINKLINGS.

—Farmer Jones—Why have ye th' string on yer finger? Farmer Smith—So's ter remind me that I forgot somethin' me wife told me ter remember—New York Tribune.

—Author—Could you give me an appropriate motto for my essay on sea voyage? Traveler—Yes; "sic transit."—Baltimore American.

—Mrs. Flynn—There you go—lending O'Hagan fivie dollars after always sayin' you'd never trust a man wid black hair and a red mustache. Mr. Flynn—'Tis all right, darlint. Oi made him shave it off afore Oi handed over the money.—Life.

—"I wonder," said the man who was given to thought at times, "I wonder what is meant by the 'embarrassment of riches'?" "The poor relation very likely," replied the man who was one.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

—Dumley—How much will it cost to send a packing case from here to Boston?—Freight Agent—Six cents a foot Dumley—My! how many feet is it from here to Boston?—Philadelphia Press.

—Two women were strangers to each other at a reception. After a few moments' desultory talk, the first said, rather querulously: "I don't know what's the matter with that tall, blond gentleman over there. He was so attentive a while ago, but he won't look at me now." "Perhaps," said the other, "he saw me come in. He's my husband."—Ladies' Home Journal.

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DAIRY STATIONS FOR THE SOUTH

Government to Demonstrate the Best Methods of Dairying in Southern States—Carolinas Will Probably Have Experimental Stations.

(Charlotte Observer.)

Washington, Sept. 30.—One of the first steps to be taken by the Department of agriculture to carry out an act passed at the last session of Congress appropriating \$20,000 to establish dairy stations throughout the Southern States, is the sending of H. N. Slater, of the bureau of animal industry, Texas to begin the work authorized under the act.

The bill that was passed last Winter was introduced by Representative Lever, of South Carolina, and as stated the first actual steps are being taken at this time.

Mr. Slater, who is one of the most expert men connected with the bureau of animal industry, left Washington a few days ago for Dallas, Tex., and will at once begin the study of dairy trade and conditions.

Before leaving Washington Mr. Slater said that the first station to be established in Texas would probably consist of a large farm stocked with 300 or 400 cows of different breeds. Of these, a special study will be made, the best dairy cows selected and experiments made of the different grains, grasses and feed-stuffs with a view to ascertaining the most nutritious diet produced in that State.

During his stay in Texas and in other States that he will probably visit after the work now in hand is finished. Mr. Slater will work in conjunction with the agricultural department and agricultural colleges in the different places to which he goes. After establishing his headquarters at a certain place he will pay regular visits to different sections of the State and keep in close touch with dairymen, milk inspectors and others interested in the dairy trade.

"It is the intention of my Department in sending me to Texas," said Mr. Slater, "to elevate the dairy trade of the State to a higher plane. We want not only to induce the farmer and dairymen to stock their farms with a better grade of cattle, but we want to teach them to get the best results from their labor in every way. We want to work for a better grade of milk containing more butter ingredients and freer from preservative drugs. I am going to spend much of my time while in the West with farmers and dairymen, and while giving them ideas I am going to glean all I can myself.

"I am going from one city to another and confer with milk inspectors and exert my influence to have such officers appointed in cities where they do not already exist. I expect to be very busy in this work during the next few months."

The same line of work to be undertaken by Mr. Slater in Texas will probably be undertaken also in the Carolinas, Virginia and other States, to receive considerable attention, though no steps have so far been taken in the matter.

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The Seaboard announces rate of one first class fare plus fifty cents including admission from all points in the State of North Carolina, including Richmond, Norfolk and intermediate points in Virginia. Low round trip rates for Military Companies and Bands in uniform. Tickets will be sold October 12th to 19th inclusive and for a early morning train of October 20th, with final return limit of October 23rd.

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Dallas, Texas, and return, account Association Fire Engineers, October 9-12, one first class fare plus \$2.00 round trip, tickets sold October 6 and 7, final limit twenty (21) days from date of sale.

Rock Island, Ill. and return, account Farmers National Congress, October 9-13, one first class fare plus \$2.00 round trip, tickets sold Oct. 6, 7 and 8 final limit Oct. 16.

Buffalo, N. Y. and return, account International Convention of Christian Churches, October 12-17, tickets sold Oct. 10, 11 and 12 good returning until Oct. 19, about one first class fare for the round trip.

New Orleans, La. and return, account Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias October 15-25, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold Oct. 12 to 15 final limit Oct. 30 extension can be secured until November 30, on payment of 50 cents.

Charlotte, N. C. and return Mecklenburg Fair October 16-19, one first class fare plus 50 cents including admission to grounds tickets sold Oct. 15 to 19 final limit Oct. 22, rates to apply from Rutherfordton, Maxton, Bluff and intermediate stations.

Memphis, Tenn. and return, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, October 15-21, one trip, tickets sold October 15, 16, 17 and 18, final limit Oct. 30, extension first class fare plus 25 cents round can be secured until November 30 on payment of 50 cents.

Atlanta, Ga. and return, account Carriage Builders Association, October 21-27, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold October 19, 20, 21 and 22, final limit Oct. 30, extension can be secured until November 15 on payment of 50 cents.

Asheville, N. C. and return, account Missionary Conference Protestant Episcopal Church October 23-25, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold October 20 and 21 final limit November 5.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Charlotte Observer, Sept. 30: The receipts of cotton on the local market for this month, the first month of the new season, have been 1,679. The number is 2,780 fewer than the number sold in Charlotte the corresponding month of last season, 4,459. The receipts for the week ending yesterday were 692 bales, against 1,039 for the corresponding week of last year.

—Charlotte Observer, Sept. 30: It is round-house talk that the Southern will adopt the scheme of the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Pennsylvania and other big roads and send a ticket collector or auditor on its through trains. It is said that this proposed change will go into effect within the next ten days. In case that the ticket collector is added the conductor will run the train, receive reports and make the schedule.

—At Pittsboro on Saturday the Buckhorn Falls Property was sold at public auction at the court house door by the receiver of the company and was bid in by Mr. McHumston, who was representing the bondholders, for \$250,000. Buckhorn was where a company had partially completed a power plant to supply Fayetteville and other towns with electricity for manufacturing and lighting purposes.

—Judge Jesse M. Green, one of the best known citizens of Asheville and Buncombe county, died Saturday morning at 2:35 o'clock at his residence, after an illness of some duration. He served the late Senator Zebulon Baird Vance in the Rough and Ready Guards during the civil war and acquitted himself with credit on the field of battle. He was an upright and honorable gentleman and served Buncombe faithfully as Judge of the inferior court a number of years ago.

—Letters of incorporation have been granted by the Secretary of State to the Pamlico Iron Works of Washington, N. C. The authorized capital stock is \$20,000, of which \$11,500 have been paid in. The principal incorporators are Geo. T. Hardy, of Washington; F. B. Hooper, of Newport News, Va., and W. M. Boase, of Norfolk, Va. A large three story brick building will be erected at their plant on Water street and this will be fitted up with the latest and most improved machinery. The stockholders hope to begin work on the new buildings at an early date and when completed it will be one of the finest and most complete machine shops and foundries in the State.

—Charlotte Observer, Sept. 30: Mr. J. H. Kurd, fireman on No. 75, the local freight between Spencer and Greenville, S. C., was run over and killed by his own train in the local yards at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Kurd had climbed down from his seat and had stepped up on the cowcatcher to place two green flags on either side of the engine. Engineer W. B. Boggs was at the throttle and the train was slowly moving north. Suddenly Mr. Kurd slipped and fell midway of the tracks. The engine, tender and eight cars passed over his body, crushing every bone in it. Engineer Boggs was not aware of what had happened until the whole train had passed over the body. The deceased was a resident of Spencer and was 25 years of age.

—A Richmond (Va.) dispatch says: W. W. Wells, a steeple painter, was arrested here tonight upon a charge of bigamy. It is alleged that he has a wife and two children living in Richmond and another wife and the same number of children across the river, in Manchester; that he divides his time equally between his two homes, having been able to maintain such a dual existence for years, and that neither of the women knew anything about the other. He has always given as an excuse for staying away from either home, it is said, that his work was in the other city, causing him to spend the night there. One of his wives, before her marriage in Sharpsburg, N. C., four years ago was Miss Rebecca Adella Roberts, the complainant alleges, and the other was Miss Gertrude Michaels, of Staunton. The Manchester wife says she believes in the innocence of her husband and does not intend to testify against him. She says several times neighbors told her her husband was paying attention to another woman, but that she put no stock in the stories.

—At High Point Sunday night at 11 o'clock the locomotive of a passenger train on the Ashboro branch of the Southern Railway jumped the track shortly after leaving the city, ploughed into a lot of cars loaded with lumber, resulting in the following casualties: Alice Brown, colored, dead; Hun, White, colored, bruised about the shoulders and head; Engineer Kin Wilson, bruised about the body and suffering from severe shock; Fireman Reed Norris, of Randleman, hurt about body and stove-up from jump from engine; Ivy Hall, brakeman, was also injured. The engineer and fireman jumped or they would have been killed, as the side of the cab was torn off. Three cars were

wrecked and 400 feet of track were torn up. The passenger coaches never left the track and no one in these cars were injured more than a severe shake-up. The negro woman that was killed was coming up the track with a negro man when the train approached. They stepped off between two box cars and in a few seconds the woman lay dead, being crushed into a jelly from the compact of the wrecked cars. The man had a very narrow escape, having been struck by flying timber and wedged into a small corner.

—Selma Special, Sept. 29.—Charles Peacock, who mysteriously disappeared about two weeks ago on the very day which the Johnson county grand jury returned a true bill against him for the murder of Alonzo Jones, a merchant of Smithfield, on the night of July 13th, was arrested in Norfolk, Va., yesterday and was brought to Smithfield tonight and placed in jail to await trial at the next term of Johnston county Superior Court. It is learned that he went direct from Smithfield to Norfolk where he has since remained. Two or three days ago, while intoxicated, letters were found in his pocket which revealed his identity and he was placed under arrest. Mr. A. H. Boyett, a brother-in-law of the dead man, was sent to Norfolk and identified Peacock, whereupon Deputy Sheriff Sanders, accompanied by Mr. E. S. Abell, one of Peacock's attorneys, went to Norfolk yesterday and returned with their man tonight, he having agreed to return with out requisition papers. It is said tonight, though there is no confirmation of the rumor, that an effort will be made Monday to secure Peacock's liberty on a writ of habeas corpus. If such a step should be made, it is doubtful if he would be released as the evidence against him is strong. He had been released in habeas corpus proceedings when he left.

—A rabid dog created consternation at High Point on Saturday evening on the streets and was finally killed after biting Mr. A. Ham Lindsay and a small son of John Wells, both white, and an unknown colored man. The dog was first seen on Main street, snapping at other dogs and finally making after men and children who ran pell-mell into the stores and other places of safety. The dog was chased to Jordan street and finally killed by a man from the country.

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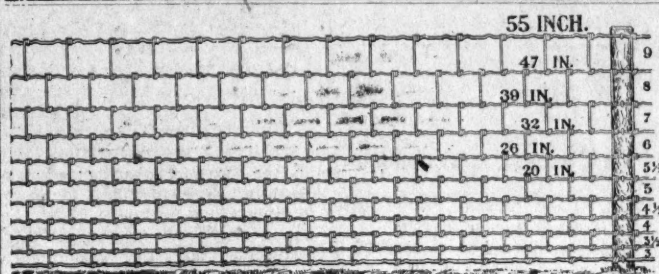
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Tuesday October 2nd, 1906.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., October 2, 1906.
Meteorological data for the 24
hours ending 8 P. M., Saturday, Oct. 2.
Temperature at 8 A. M., 70 de-
grees; 8 P. M., 68 degrees, maximum,
74 degrees, minimum, 67 degrees,
mean 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 2.20, rainfall
since first of the month to date, 2.20
inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River
8 A. M. Sunday, 2.9 feet.

For North Carolina—Rain Tuesday
and Wednesday; fresh possibly brisk
east to northeast winds on the coast.

PORT ALMANAC—Oct. 2nd.

Sun Rises 5:55 A. M.
Sun Sets 5:43 P. M.
Day's Length 11 hrs 53 min.
High Water at Wilmington, 7:52 A. M.
High Water at Southport, 10:22 A. M.

STORM WARNING.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 1.—North-
east storm warning 3:40 P. M. Mo-
bile, Pensacola, Apalachicola, Wil-
mington, Morehead, Washington, Co-
lumbia, Edenton, Elizabeth City, Nor-
folk, Newport News, Fort Monroe.
Disturbance central over eastern
Gulf. Will probably move northeast-
ward. GARRIOTT.

MR. GEORGE R. BATE DEAD.

Well Known Citizen Passed Away
Early Sunday Evening.

Friends will regret to hear of the
death of Mr. George R. Bate, a well
known citizen of Wilmington, which
occurred at 7:10 o'clock Sunday even-
ing at his home, No. 120 North Seventh
street, after an illness of some weeks
with paralysis. Mr. Bate suffered the
first stroke about six weeks ago and
still another the day before his death.
From the first he had been confined to
his home and little hope was held out
to those who watched and waited anx-
iously at his bedside and who now
have the sympathy of a great many
friends in their bereavement.

Mr. Bate was a native of Wilming-
ton and was in the 50th year of his
age. He was a man of natural ability
and had occupied various positions of
trust in the city, county and Federal
governments. He had lived in this city
all his life and his presence in the
community will be missed. He is sur-
vived by his wife and five children,
viz: George R. Jr., and W. E. Bate;
Mrs. V. M. Gilbert, Mrs. John J. Fur-
long and Miss Marjorie Bate, all of
Wilmington. He also leaves one brother,
Mr. W. R. Bate, of Wilmington,
and three sisters, Mrs. E. G. Jones and
Mrs. T. E. Dickinson, of this city,
and Mrs. McNally, of New York.

The funeral will be conducted at 10
o'clock this morning from St. Thomas'
Catholic church and the interment will
be in Oakdale cemetery.

AN ARMY APPOINTMENT.

Dr. Slocum Rejects Flattering Offer to
Remain Here.

It will be of interest to a great many
newly-made friends in Wilmington to
know that on yesterday Dr. W. R. Slocum,
surgeon in charge of the James Walker Memorial Hospital in
this city, received by telegraph a very
flattering appointment as a surgeon
in the United States Army, presum-
ably for service in Cuba. At the same
time it will be a source of pleasure
to those same friends of Dr. Slocum
to know that he was so impressed with
the opportunities in Wilmington that
he decided to decline the offer and
will remain here. The telegram from
Washington instructed Dr. Slocum to
report at once and therefore his decision
had to be made up quickly. He
will remain with the excellent institu-
tion of which all Wilmington is proud
and the people will be glad to know
of his decision in this respect.

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\$2.75; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, sugar; Mrs.
John Rankin, periodicals; Rest Cot-
tage, hominy, molasses; A friend, \$1;
A friend, cream; Outing to Wrights-
ville Beach, Mr. Brown; Mr. Brown,
cream; Mrs. E. L. Prince, \$5; Arm-
strong children, Tar Landing, pears,
grapes; Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, drugs;
Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Mr. J. A.
Springer, ice; Thanks due Rev. Mr.
Hogue for use of room at Rest Cot-
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be laid by property owners in the down-
town sections of the city, Mr. O'Brien
explained that the law provided that
where the property owners refuse to
lay the walks, the city shall do it and
the cost of same shall be assessed
against the property. Mr. O'Brien
said that he had seen Chairman Mc-
Queen, of the Board of Audit and Fi-
nance in reference to the matter and
was informed that the city had no
money with which to do the work.

Upon recommendation of the com-
mittee, the city wharf at foot of the
market house was rented to Roger
Moore for \$20 per month for a period
of three years, the same to be re-
paired and maintained. The dock at foot
of Brunswick street was offered to
Messrs. Hall & Pearsall for \$100 per
year, provided same be repaired and
maintained.

The Streets and Wharves Commit-
tee was instructed to get bids and
have the Fourth Street Bridge painted.
Upon recommendation of the Police
Committee, the contract for police uni-
forms and overcoats as awarded was
confirmed. The same action was taken
as to the award of the contract for
the fire hose.

The contract for plumbing in the
public library was awarded to J. A.
Gregory for \$51.

Chairman Johnson, of the Commit-
tee on Water Works, reported progress,
stating that an advertisement
had been made for an eight-inch deep
well for investigation as a source of
city water supply. Mr. Johnson held
in his hand the monthly bill of the
Water Works Company amounting to
\$531, which he declined to approve,
putting it up to the Board of Alder-
men. No action was taken. It was
explained that the committee had
brought up the matter at the last
meeting and the Board had refused
to decline payment of the bills. The
Clerk and Treasurer recited the ac-
tion at the former meeting, putting
the company on notice that it was not
complying with its contract and invit-
ing a representative of the Clarendon
Water Works Co., to come before the
meeting and confer with the Board
as to some means of arriving at a
price upon which the existing plant
might be purchased. It was stated
that Capt. Jno. F. Divine, president of
the company, expected to be present
but was probably detained on account
of the rough weather. The matter of
the monthly bill was disposed of up-
on motion of Mr. O'Brien that it be
paid under protest.

Chairman Price, of the Ordinance
Committee, gave notice that at the
next meeting he would re-introduce
the plumbing ordinance and hoped
that the Aldermen would be prepared
at that time to intelligently vote on
the measure.
Contracts for paving lower Chesnut
street and for the fire hose were ap-
proved.
The monthly reports of department
officers were read and placed on file,
following which the Board adjourned.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Hugh R. Healy, of New York,
arrived yesterday from the North.

—Mr. G. M. Ford, of Nichols, S. C.,
is in the city, making business calls.

—Mr. J. C. Roberts went up to Fay-
etteville yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy, of Atkinson, N. C.,
was among yesterday's arrivals in
the city.

—Mrs. Jno. F. Garrell and Miss Lil-
lian Horn left yesterday for New York
where they will spend some time.

—Misses Annie Willis and Almeria
Munn have returned from a pleasant
visit to friends at White Lake, Bladen
county.

"SERGEANT KITTY" COMING.

Military Musical Comedy at Academy
of Music To-morrow Night.

The pretty musical comedy "Ser-
geant Kitty" with Helen Byron in
the star part is scheduled to appear at
the Academy to-morrow night with an
excellent corps of comedians and a
large chorus. Pretty, petite Helen
Byron is now familiarly known to her
audiences as the "Dainty Kitty" for
her adventures as the "Sergeant" in
the pleasing comic opera have been
followed by her admirers, for two
seasons. However, she has been iden-
tified with several musical comedies,
and is now a strong favorite. Her
work in previous prima donna roles
has well fitted her for the character-
ization of "Kitty," a part with whose
attributes she is now so closely asso-
ciated. Not only does she sing, but
she has considerable histrionic ability,
a combination of talent which is so
often missed in a prima donna. She
recently played the soubrette role in
"Rosalie," a successful musical com-
edy by Willard Spencer which opened
late last season. Seats are now on
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cents.—J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.

Read Star Business Locals.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox went
to Raleigh yesterday, conveying to the
State penitentiary the negro Samus
Johnson, convicted at last week's term
of Superior Court and sentenced to
25 years for burglary.

—In the police court yesterday Cor-
nella Evans, colored, was given 30 days
on the farm for being drunk and dis-
orderly, and Rebecca Green, colored,
was given 30 days for the same of-
fense.

—The Carl B. Rehder Candy Com-
pany, finding it impossible to secure
the Benitz building on Princess street,
in time for the opening, has leased
one of the new Wessell stores at No.
126 Market street, and will open for
business there today.

—Mr. James F. Woolvin, the fune-
ral director, has removed temporarily
to an office in the old Court House
building on Princess street, just east
of the main entrance. As soon as
possible he will occupy the handsome
building being erected for him next
to the I. O. O. F. Home.

—Messrs. F. H. Krahne & Sons,
have removed their merchant tailoring
establishment to their fine new build-
ing, on Princess street, next to the
Southern Express office. They request
their friends to note that they have on
hand some of the finest cloths for
Fall and Winter suits.

—A special invitation is extended by
the Jacobi Hardware Company to at-
tend a demonstration of baking on the
Majestic ranges at the store of the
firm every day this week. A Majestic
range will be in actual operation and
a representative from the factory will
be present to explain every point.
Hot biscuit and coffee will be served.
The public is invited to visit the store
whether it is desired to make pur-
chases or not.

Julius P. Taylor, the Tailor.

An expert tailor from Baltimore is
at the new store of Mr. Julius P. Tay-
lor on Princess street, and will be
there for the remainder of the week
for the purpose of taking measures
for Fall and Winter suits, overcoats
and trousers. A large line of foreign
and domestic woollens are shown and
the prices will be found real inviting.
Mr. Taylor invites all his friends to
come and take a look whether they
buy or not.

Missing Cashier Returns.

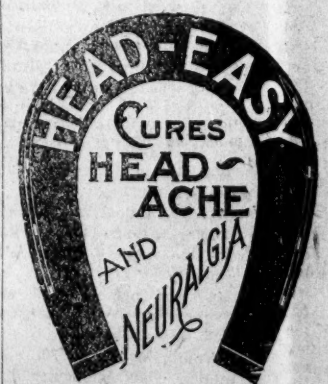
Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville
Observer says: "W. A. Jones, the miss-
ing cashier of the Bank of Hope Mills,
will arrive here this afternoon. He
telegraphed a friend here yesterday
that he would leave Norfolk last night
and reach here Monday afternoon. As
he took nothing from the bank when
he left but the key to the front door,
he will probably bring that with him."

Visit Geo. O. Gaylord's Big Sale now
on. The rain don't stop the crowd.

DIED.

BATE—At his home in this city,
Sunday, September 30th, 1906, at 7:15
P. M., GEORGE R. BATE, aged 49
years and seven months.

Funeral this (Tuesday) morning at
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How Dolphins Play.

The waters of the gulf of California teem with other wealth than pearls. Here are fish of every description. The tuna is abundant, and the gummy Spanish mackerel is everywhere. The dolphin seems monarch of all the gulf. In the vicinity of the great island of Carmen they are encountered by the thousand. One school, comprising many hundreds, were encountered by the steamer on which the writer was a passenger a short distance from the beautiful bay of Escondido. They were a half mile distant when they observed us going in the opposite direction. Suddenly the leaders, in a clearly evinced spirit of rollicking sea dog fun, turned every one of them and gave chase to the steamer. It was perfectly evident they enjoyed the performance as much as the spectators. For a little while the noise was deafening, as if a thousand gamins of the streets had been turned loose in a go-as-you-please bathhouse. Then, having proved their ability to catch up with the steamer, they as suddenly veered and sped southward.—Sunset Magazine.

An Elder Brother.

In a case in the orphan's court of an eastern city one of the principal witnesses was asked if he had any brothers or sisters.

"I had a brother," he replied, "but he died 150 years ago."

"What? A hundred and fifty years ago?" echoed the judge, with an implied rebuke for a possible jest.

"Yes, I am telling you the truth. My father was married at nineteen years of age. Within the year a son was born to him, who shortly afterward died. Becoming a widower before he was thirty, my father married again at the age of seventy-five. I was born next year. I am at present ninety-four years old. If you will make the necessary calculation by adding my age, ninety-four, to the number fifty-six, which is the difference between seventy-five and nineteen, the ages of my father at the time of his respective marriages, the result will be exactly 150. So it is just a century and a half since my brother died."

Let the Children Play.

It is too often true of the unhappy children who are forced to rise too early in their classes that they are conceived all the forenoon of life and stupid all its afternoon. The vigor and freshness which should have been stored up for the purposes of the hard struggle for existence in practical life have been washed out of them by precocious mental debauchery—by glut-tony and lesson bibbing. Their faculties are worn out by the strain put upon their callow brains, and they are demoralized by worthless childish triumphs before the real work of life begins. I have no compassion for sloth, but youth has more need for intellectual rest than age, and the cheerfulness, the tenacity of purpose, the power of work, which make many a successful man what he is, must often be placed to the credit not of his hours of industry, but to that of his hours of idleness in boyhood.—Huxley.

Rogers as a Story Teller.

Charles Dickens used to describe the way in which Samuel Rogers, the poet, told dinner table stories when grown old and feeble. A manservant stood behind Rogers' chair and at appropriate intervals would thus admonish his master: "Tell Mr. Dickens, sir, the story of the Hon. Charles Townshend and the beautiful Miss Curzon." The old poet would start in a slow chant: "The Hon. Charles Townshend became enamored of Miss Curzon. She was bewitching. He be-ri-berd her maid to conceal him in her chee-amber and when she arrived to dress for a ball emerged from his hiding place. She looked at him fixedly, then said, 'Why don't you begin?' She took him for the 'air-dresser.'"

Two Ways of Putting It.

Two groups of persons were seated in a railway station, according to Lip-pincott's Magazine. One consisted of a fashionably attired pair, the other of a pair who looked as if they were from the country. They had been there only a few minutes when a girl came in whose complexion was as nearly perfect as anything in this world ever is. While she was buying her ticket the young man remarked to the ladies with him:

"Isn't Miss Cranford a beauty? Her complexion is as perfect as a rose."

At the same time the other man clutched his wife's arm and whispered: "Lord, Nan, hasn't that gal got a purty hide?"

Sterne and Garrick.

Sterne, who had the reputation of treating his wife very badly, was one day talking to Garrick in a sentimental way in praise of conjugal fidelity and love. "The husband," he declared, "who behaves unkindly to his wife deserves to have his house burned over his head."

"In that case," replied Garrick, "I hope your house is insured."

An Exception.

"Which is the first and most important sacrament?" asked a Sunday school teacher of a girl preparing for confirmation. "Marriage," was the prompt response. "No, baptism is the first and most important sacrament," the teacher corrected. "Not in our family," said the pupil haughtily. "We are respectable."

Precisely Located.

"Where were the kings of England crowned?" was the question on an examination paper. "On their heads," wrote a boy in the space left for the answer.

No gentleman ever finds it necessary to proclaim his character in the assertion that he is a gentleman.—Duluth News-Tribune.

The Truce of God.

One of the most curious of the many queer medieval customs was that known as "the truce of God." From what we have been able to learn of it the custom appears to have originated as an outgrowth of a desire to protect the common people to some extent at least against the lawless tyranny of the feudal lords of the middle ages. It was first decreed at a church synod which convened at Roussillon in the year 1027. By this decree it was provided that no man should attack his enemy between Saturday evening at noon and Monday morning at the hour of prime. About the year 1032 a similar compact was entered into between the church and the barons of England. The church forbade barons to make any attack upon each other between sunset on Wednesday night and sunrise on the following Monday or upon any feast or fast day. The same truce made provision that no man should be disturbed while laboring at his trade or while going to or from a place of worship.

Lost a Railroad.

"A champagne dinner once cost St. Joseph, Mo., the Union Pacific railroad," said an old railroad official. "The Union Pacific aid bill was up for consideration in congress in the early sixties. It fixed St. Joseph as the eastern terminus of the road. While the bill was under consideration a banquet was held at St. Joseph. It was attended by many of the leading men of the town. After they had filled up on champagne a question arose as to which flag should float from the city hall. The Confederate flag was finally decided on, and in the morning the stars and stripes were hauled down and the stars and bars hoisted. The news reached Washington that very day, while the Union Pacific bill was still under consideration. Senator Pomeroy moved that the name St. Joseph, Mo., be stricken from the bill and Omaha, Neb., be substituted. The amendment carried and St. Joseph thereby lost the Union Pacific."—Kansas City Journal.

A Shifting Landmark.

In the first years of navigation on western waters, says the author of "Early Steamboat Navigation on the Missouri River," pilots were forced to use all sorts of signals and marks to decide their courses. One had a custom of running a certain crossing if he came to it at night by the aid of a dog. The animal belonged to a family living in a house at the foot of the crossing directly in the course of the bend. Whenever a boat was coming this dog ran out to the bank, always in exactly the same place, which was in line with the channel, and barked his loudest. The pilot ran toward the sound of the barking with the utmost confidence. Unhappily the dog one night took a notion to change his stand and barked a little higher up. The next morning the boat was a hopeless wreck on a sand bar, into which the pilot had run at full speed.

Our Lead Pencils.

Many a boy is made happy these days by a present of half a dozen pencils with his name printed thereon in gold letters. Perhaps the name "lead pencil" will last through all time and eternity. The original pencil was really made of lead, and on the rough paper of the time made a clearly discernible mark. Germany led in its manufacture. Our earliest importations were much sought after, and none could be bought with other money than gold coin. A common "lead" pencil was almost worth its weight in gold, and a man who got a supply had to be well recommended. When a New York merchant advertised the arrival of a consignment of "lead pencils" the rush to buy was pell-mell. This seems incredible to us young roosters, who can buy a dozen pencils today for 10 cents.—New York Press.

The Murderous Trout.

Of all creatures the angler is the least offender in the crime of killing. The very game he seeks, though beautiful and gentle to the eye and at times noble in deed and purpose, is the most brutal killer of all the races—the lovely trout in its attacks upon gaudy flies, the valiant bass and pike in devouring their smaller brethren and the multitudinous sea fishes not alone in their feeding upon one another, but in their wanton murder of the millions upon millions of victims of their pure love of slaughter.—Country Life in America.

The First Inquest.

The nearest approach to the holding of a judicial inquiry into the cause of death in England occurred as long ago as the year 1200, when, according to an old writer on the subject, "six and twenty venerable persons were summoned together to hear and consider the testimony of any who could speak with authority regarding the death of a digger in the fields named Martin Bolsover."

Food For the Dead.

Corn and bread are still offered by the pious Basques of the Pyrenees to the dear departed on their death anniversary. A traveler in Spain describes how at San Sebastian he has often seen some poor fisherman's daughter praying in a church for a dead relative "amid baskets full of fruit, loaves of bread and corn and kneeling upon the tomb of her ancestors."

Exact.

Bridegroom (who is receiving his bride's dowry)—Ten dollars is still wanting. Father-in-law—What? Oh, my daughter swallowed that \$10 when she was a child.—Fliegende Blätter.

Essential Requirements.

"A man must know a great deal to be a good diplomat." "Yes, and be able not to tell it."

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Ants Kill a Rattler.

A hunter tells an interesting story of the way in which a colony of red ants put to death a rattlesnake which dared to disturb their abode. He was out hunting when he saw the rattler and started to put a load of shot into the reptile when he noticed that it was headed straight for an ant hill of unusual size and waited to watch the proceedings. It had hardly got halfway across the mound when a big red ant hastened to the attack and sank his nippers into the snake's body. In less than two minutes he was joined by the whole colony, which practically covered the whole body of the rattler, each one sinking its scissor-like blades into the intruder's body. The snake began to thrash and squirm, but the ants held on like bulldogs. The rattler's fury grew so great that he sank his fangs into his own body, then straightened out after a few more convulsive efforts to get away and was dead in less than ten minutes after the first ant had mounted his body.—Kansas City Journal.

Should Have Been Put Otherwise.

An esteemed Perthshire minister was visiting a burly parishioner suffering from the "mulligrubs," or "Effie Lindsay." The strong man was intensely irritated at being attacked by disease, and he greeted his minister thus: "Weel, Messjohn, I thoct ye wad never come. I ken ye are busy w' thinkin' wha'na fresh notion ye can gie huz on the Sawbrath, and I ken ye maundin' yer brains—as I jalose—by readin' a' the bit bookies ye can come by to hae a crap o' profitable notions for a body. Sit ye doon, sir, in the big chair, and, Janet, gie Mr. Pottedhead a whang o' gouda cheese, a souple scone and the grunds o' the greybeard. The bite and sup will keep his hoast, pulr stock. Noo, sir, it's bath lamentable and awfaw, but this is the first illness I have ever had in a' my born days. I tell ye, my first illness!" "Well," replied the minister, in a voice meant to be plangent with suppressed emotion, "I most earnestly hope it may be your last."—Dundee Advertiser.

Honeymoon Reading.

The house had quieted after the wedding. Mother and Aunt Mary were in the parlor talking it over. "So it's over," said Aunt Mary, smiling into mother's eyes. "Yes," said mother bravely, although a little tearfully, "it's over—and begun." "They'll be happy, I'm sure." "Yes. They are very well suited to each other." "Very. I could see that. They both have studious habits." "Yes. But, Mary"—mother paused, and the gleam of mischief evoked by Aunt Mary sooner than anybody else darted into her eyes—"Mary, they can't have much sense of humor. Though it's my own girl, I say it."

"Do you know what she took to read on their wedding journey? Stevenson's 'Travels With a Donkey.'"

"—Tit-Bits."

Give Your Horse More Water.

Water should be before horses at all times when indoors, and at least no night lights ever turned out until every animal has had his chance at as many brimming buckets as he will take, says the Outing Magazine. The shy drinker may be tempted by many artifices, like mixing a little molasses, or salt, or oatmeal, or flaxseed jelly, or bran, etc., with the water, and constantly varying the flavor. Horse may even have all they want right after feeding, provided they have not been deprived of water for some time previous. Many shy drinkers, like shy feeders, who are generally nervous, take all nourishment best at night, when it is dark and quiet, and morning finds the empty manger and bucket which it had seemed, by day, almost nauseated them.

Advertise in the Morning Star.

Medicine.

Throw out opium, said Dr. Holmes, which the Creator himself seems to prescribe, for we often see the scarlet poppy growing in the cornfields, as if it were foreseen that wherever there is hunger to be fed there must also be pain to be soothed; throw out a few species which our art did not discover and is hardly needed to apply; throw out wine, which is a food and the vapors which produce the miracle of anesthesia, and I firmly believe that if the whole materia medica as now used could be sunk to the bottom of the sea it would be for the better for mankind and all the worse for the fishes.

The shortest system of medical practice that I know of is the oldest, but not the worst. It is older than Hippocrates, older than Chiron the Centaur. Nature taught it to the first mother when she saw her firstborn child putting some ugly pebble or lurid berry into its mouth. I know not in what language it was spoken, but I know that in English it would sound thus: "Spit it out!"

When You Write Abroad.

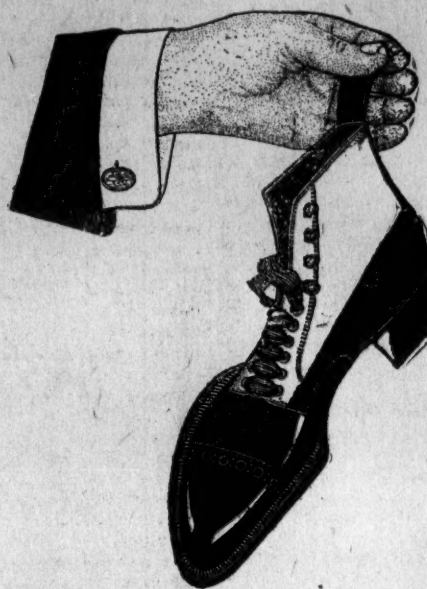
In writing to France or Italy, a postmaster pointed out the other day, the address should be printed, for the printed characters of French, Italian and English are alike, but of the written ones this is not true. The capital letter T, for instance, is written in France and Italy like O. The top stroke is made as with O, but the downward stroke curves to the right instead of to the left. Our O is taken for a T abroad. Our T is taken for I or J. It is important therefore to print instead of to write proper names on foreign letters. A letter addressed in writing to, for instance, a man named Treat would be thought by the French and Italian to be addressed to Ireat, and in the general delivery department of the postoffice it would be placed in the I instead of in the T compartment. Thus when Mr. Treat called for his mail a search of compartment T would reveal nothing for him, and his letter, hidden among the I's, would never be delivered.

Made the Bear Work.

Bill Winters uses his wit to save his strength. During a camping trip in the Maine woods Bill was easily the laziest man in the party. Finally his exasperated comrades told him that if he did not kill something besides time they would pack him off home. The next morning Bill borrowed a rifle and went off up the mountains. Two hours later the men in camp saw Bill running down again as fast as he could come, and close behind him was a bear. The men watched the chase, with loaded rifles ready. On reaching camp Bill turned and shot the bear. When the men could stop laughing one of them said, "Bill, what on earth possessed you to run that distance with the bear so close when you might have killed him on the hill and saved your breath?" Bill smiled slowly. "What's the use of killing a bear in the mountains and lugging him in when you can run him in?" he asked.—Boston Herald.

Moors Considered.

A habit of our own, we consider far more clean than eating with our fingers is looked upon by the Moors as filthy—that is, washing our hands or face in a basin and, still more, taking a bath where the water is not running. The cleaner we become, they say, the dirtier the water we are washing with must necessarily become, and eventually we step forth as cleansed from water which is no longer clean. A Moor to wash his hands has the water poured from a vessel over them and never by any chance dips them into the dirty water. The same way in their baths. The water is thrown over their bodies out of bright brass bowls and flows away through holes in the marble or tile floor.—Modern Society.

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MONDAY,
OCT. 1

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100 8-qt. galvanized water buckets, 10c

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OCT. 2

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CUBAN REBELS TO DISPERSE

Will Give Up Their Arms and Government Will Feed Them and Pay Their Way Home.

Havana, Sept. 30.—The work of disposing peacefully of the revolutionary forces in arms against the Cuban government is already practically under way. Brigadier General Frederick Funston, chairman of the disarmament commission, had two amicable conferences today with Generals Pino Guerra and Del Castillo and arranged a programme perfectly satisfactory to all concerned.

In fact, General Funston said this evening that the wind-up would be so smooth and rapid that it will take much less time than had been anticipated.

The first landing of any considerable number of Americans took place to-night when 450 marines came ashore from the squadron in the harbor. This force proceeded for Cienfuegos at 9 o'clock this evening on a special train. It was explained that this movement was not made on account of any actual trouble in Cienfuegos, but for the purpose of exerting a calming influence on the local situation, which contains some possibility of a conflict by reason of the tense feeling existing between the government volunteers and the insurgents.

The disarmament commission has decided that the rebels shall not receive payment for their arms, but each man will be given transportation and subsistence until he reaches home. The programme of disarmament is simply that one member of the commission, accompanied by one or more representatives of the revolutionists, will visit each command. The arms will be deposited with the battalion commander, who will turn them over to the commission. The rebels will take their horses home, the animals which have been stolen to be returned later to the owners on proper identification.

In order to expedite the return home of the large number of revolutionists in Pinar del Rio province and avoid possible disturbance during the operation, a special train will be run beginning Wednesday, from the point on the line nearest the rebel camps to San Juan de Martinez, the terminus of the Western Railroad. Men and horses will be distributed at the intermediate stations. The government will begin distributing rations in the rebel camps to-morrow. The provisional government has no expectation that even a considerable number of the revolutionists will surrender their arms. Most of the weapons are the personal property of the men carrying them. The first of the disarmament commission left here tonight for Puerto Principe. Others will start tomorrow for Santa Clara province on a special train, which will pick up the arms turned in at the various places on the way. As Santa Clara province contains the largest number of rebels in arms, the work there will be especially arduous. General Guerra himself will assist in superintending the work of the return of his men to their homes after the forces in Pinar del Rio province have given over their arms. General Funston expects to remain in Havana in general charge of the work of disarmament. When this is completed he will take command of all the United States troops in Cuba.

General Pino Guerra, speaking today of the new situation in the island, said all the men of his forces were eminently satisfied with the arrangements. He expressed the belief that the stability of the government was now assured and predicted that never again would there be a revolution in Cuba, thanks largely to the United States government for the hand it had taken in the settlement of the difficulty.

While many of his men wanted to parade in Havana before dispersing, their commanders regarded this as unnecessary and General Guerra said there would be no demonstration that would permit of the possibility of a renewal of the previous ill-feeling. Asked whether his men shared his contentment with the proposition to return quietly to their homes, General Guerra said:

"The men under our commands will obey us. Those who do not certainly never were with us. The revolution is ended and we have won, so we are supremely content."

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STATIONS.	Daily Only	Sun.	Sun.
	3 1 5		
	P.M. A.M. A.M.		
Lv. Goldboro	3:40 8:00 7:00		
Millers	3:55 8:15 7:15		
Bests	4:01 8:21 7:18		
LaGrange	4:13 8:31 7:28		
Falling Creek	4:25 8:43 7:40		
Kinston	4:40 8:58 7:55		
Caswell	4:52 9:13 8:04		
Dover	5:02 9:23 8:14		
Cove	5:16 9:41 8:27		
Tuscarora	5:26 9:51 8:37		
Clarks	5:31 9:56 8:43		
Ar. New Bern	5:48 10:10 9:05		
Lv. New Bern	5:55 10:15 9:10		
Riverdale	6:15 10:34 9:28		
Croatan	6:22 10:38 9:32		
Havelock	6:36 10:50 9:44		
Newport	6:52 11:06 10:00		
Wildwood	6:58 11:12 10:06		
Mansfield	7:02 11:16 10:10		
Morehead City	7:20 11:30 10:23		
Atlantic Hotel	7:28 11:38 10:28		
Ar. Morehead City	7:30 11:40 10:30		
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Schedule in Effect, May 27, 1906.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

No. 45	No. 46
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 a.m. 6:50 p.m.
Ar. Goldsboro	12:10 p.m. 9:32 p.m.
Ar. Wilson	1:12 p.m. 10:35 p.m.
Ar. Rocky Mount	2:08 p.m. 11:00 p.m.
Ar. Norfolk	3:55 p.m.
Ar. Weldon	5:03 p.m. 2:32 a.m.
Ar. Petersburg	7:12 p.m. 4:41 a.m.
Ar. Richmond	8:00 p.m. 5:10 a.m.
Ar. Washington	11:40 p.m. 8:50 a.m.
Ar. Baltimore	1:45 a.m. 10:13 a.m.
Ar. Philadelphia	4:25 a.m. 12:27 a.m.
Ar. New York	7:30 a.m. 3:00 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND.

No. 47	No. 48
Lv. New York	9:25 a.m. 2:25 p.m.
Ar. Philadelphia	1:55 a.m. 12:01 a.m.
Ar. Baltimore	2:12 p.m. 3:32 a.m.
Ar. Washington	4:21 p.m. 3:45 a.m.
Ar. Norfolk	5:40 a.m.
Ar. Richmond	7:26 p.m. 9:54 a.m.
Ar. Petersburg	9:06 p.m. 9:45 a.m.
Ar. Weldon	9:53 p.m. 11:44 a.m.
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:58 p.m. 1:00 p.m.
Ar. Wilson	11:46 p.m. 2:05 p.m.
Ar. Goldsboro	1:54 a.m. 1:10 p.m.
Ar. Wilmington	10:05 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

Daily	Weekly	Daily
via	via	via
Wilson	Wilson	Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	6:00 a.m. 4:45 p.m.	5:50 p.m.
Ar. Florence	10:35 a.m. 7:40 p.m.	4:15 p.m.
Ar. Columbia	12:40 p.m. 10:55 p.m.	
Ar. Charleston	1:20 p.m. 11:40 p.m.	7:05 a.m.
Ar. Savannah	6:45 p.m. 2:50 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Ar. Jacksonville	8:40 a.m. 2:10 p.m.	
Ar. Tampa	6:55 a.m. 11:40 p.m.	

NORTHBOUND.

Daily	Daily
via	via
Wilson	Wilson
Lv. Tampa	8:25 p.m. 10:30 a.m.
Ar. Jacksonville	7:55 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
Ar. Savannah	12:55 p.m. 1:15 a.m.
Ar. Charleston	5:30 p.m. 4:55 a.m.
Ar. Columbia	4:50 p.m. 8:45 a.m.
Ar. Florence	8:20 p.m. 9:25 a.m.
Ar. Wilmington	12:05 a.m. 1:40 p.m.

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SAVANNAH.

West	East
Bound	Bound
Daily	Daily
via	via
Wilson	Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	8:10 a.m. Ar. 8:00 p.m.
Ar. Jacksonville	12:30 p.m. Ar. 4:45 p.m.
Ar. Savannah	1:55 p.m. Ar. 8:40 p.m.

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW-BERN.

N. Bound	South
Daily	Bound
via	via
Wilson	Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	12:25 p.m. Ar. 12:30 p.m.
Ar. Newbern	1:40 p.m. Ar. 9:10 a.m.

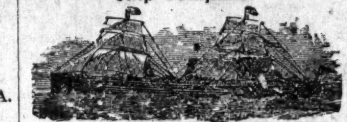
Trains Nos. 45 and 46 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

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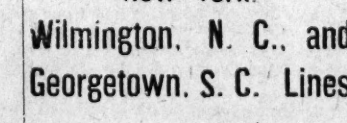
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S. S. Navahoe . . . Friday, Sept. 28th.

S. S. Carib . . . Friday, October 5th.

Wilmington, N. C., for New York.

S. S. Carib . . . Saturday, Sept. 29th.

S. S. Navahoe . . . Saturday, Oct. 6th.

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to their operation. Care is exercised

to give correct time of connecting lines

but this company will not be liable for

errors or omissions.

Between Wilmington and New York.

Lv.	Ar.	Lv.	Ar.
12:35 p.	9:25 p.	New York	6:30 a.
2:55 p.	12:19 a.	Philadelphia	2:35 a.
5:10 p.	2:51 a.	Baltimore	11:17 p.
7:75 p.	4:30 a.	Washington	8:36 p.
11:00 p.	9:40 a.	Richmond	4:55 p.
4:15 a.	4:00 p.	Raleigh	11:50 a.
6:20 a.	6:16 p.	St'n L'n	9:45 a.
7:15 a.	7:30 p.	Hamlet	8:50 a.
8:40 a.	7:50 p.	Hamlet	8:40 a.
1:00 p.	11:58 p.	Wilmington	4:30 a.

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Lv.	Ar.	Lv.	Ar.
8:24 p.	9:06 a.	Norfolk	

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 1st, 1906.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROBIN—Market nothing doing.
TAR—Market firm at \$2.15 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at \$3.00 per barrel for hard, \$4.00 for dip and \$4.40 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—spirits turpentine, firm, 65 1-2; rosin \$3.30 bid; tar, firm, at \$1.80; crude turpentine firm at \$2.75, \$4.25, \$4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 64
Rosin 241
Tar 59
Crude 173
Receipts same day last year—62 casks spirits turpentine, 127 barrels rosin, 85 barrels tar, 155 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 9 1-2 cents.
Same day last year—Steady, 10 3-8c.
Receipts—5,994 bales; same day last year, 6,022 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime 65; extra prime, 75; fancy, 80@84 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds.
Virginia—Prime, 40@44c; extra prime 50c; fancy, 55@60c; Spanish, \$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 72 1-2@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@17c. per pound; shoulders, 12 to 13c. sides dull, 13@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 24@25.
CHICKENS—Dull, 12 1-2@25 for small, 30@35.

BEEF—Firm, at 26@27c.
TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1/2 per pound.
HIDES—Dry salted, 14 to 16; green 10c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, October 1.—The cotton market was very active during today's trading with business more general than in months past and prices showed a big advance on crop damage reports and reports of higher spot markets. The close was firm at a net advance of 41@57 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 600,000 bales.

The opening was strong at an advance of 19 to 37 points in response to much higher cables than expected, reports that another storm was forming in the Gulf of Mexico, the direction of which was uncertain and of low temperatures in northwestern belt. There was naturally heavy realizing at the advance and two or three times during the session prices eased off slightly from the best. But bullish excitement continued throughout the day and the highest were in the late trading when October sold at 9.84; December at 10.00; January at 10.06 and March at 10.22, or 48 @ 58 points net higher. The close was only a point or so off from the top. Liverpool cables that prices there were influenced by reports of storm damage, and Liverpool people were big buyers of the near months here, which following the stopping of October notices last week promoted further rumors of a possible squeeze of shorts. Private advices from the South said that spot offerings were small and higher.

Receipts cotton at the ports to-day 41,000 bales against 47,787 last week and 54,943 last year. For the week 330,000 bales against 278,545 last week and 351,983 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 618 bales, against 2,270 last year and at Houston 16,741 bales, against 17,668 last year.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm; middling, 9%; net receipts, 21,238 bales.

New Orleans—Firm; middling, 9 11-16; net receipts, 6,718 bales.

Savannah—Steady; middling, 9%; net receipts, 7,738 bales.

Charleston—Firm; middling, 9%; net receipts, 2,823 bales.

Wilmington—Firm; middling, 9%; net receipts, 5,994 bales.

Norfolk—Firm; middling 9 15-16; net receipts, 2,510 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling 9%; New York—Quiet; middling, 10.25.

Boston—Quiet; middling, 10.25.
Philadelphia—Firm; middling, 10.50.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 32 bales. Total today, at all ports, net, 47,787 bales; Great Britain, 31,156 bales; France, 26,825 bales; Continent, 36,689 bales; Stock, 350,750 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports, net, 93,585 bales; Great Britain, 52,106 bales; France, 50,431 bales; Continent, 32,104 bales; Japan, 744 bales.

Total since September, 1, at all ports, net, 768,369 bales; Great Britain, 195,521 bales; France, 77,105 bales; Continent, 240,111 bales; Japan, 8,809 bales.

Interior Movement.
Houston—Steady; middling, 9%; net receipts, 16,741 bales.

Augusta—Steady; middling, 9 15-16; net receipts, 2,808 bales.

Memphis—Firm; middling, 10 1-16; net receipts, 1,064 bales.

St. Louis—Steady; middling, 9%.

Louisville—Firm; middling, 10%; net receipts, 171 bales.

Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, October 1.—Spot cotton, moderate business done; prices 7 points higher. Middling fair, 6.29; good middling, 6.01; middling, 5.77; low middling, 5.57; good ordinary, 5.33; ordinary, 5.00.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export included 5,900 American. Receipts 7,000 bales, including 4,706 American.

Futures opened and closed firm. American middling, G. O. C.; October, 5.39 1/2; October and November, 5.33; Nov.-Dec., 5.30 1/2; Dec.-Jan., 5.31 1/2; Jan.-Feb., 5.32 1/2; Feb.-March, 5.34 1/2; March-April, 5.36 1/2; April-May, 5.38; May-June, 5.40; June-July, 5.41; July-August, 5.42 1/2.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, October 1.—Money on call, strong, 4 1/2@9; ruling rate, 6 1/2 @7, closing bid 4 1/2, offered at 5. Time loans, easier, sixty days, 7 per cent; ninety days, 6 1/2@7, per cent; six months, 6 to 6 1/2. Prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2@7; sterling exchange, steady with actual business in bankers bills at 483.30@483.35 for demand and at 479.40@479.45 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.80 1/2@4.82. Commercial bills, 4.79@4.79 1/2. Bar silver, 68 1/2. Mexican dollars, 52 1/2.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refining 2s reg 103 3-4
U. S. Refining 2s cou ex. int. 103 3-4
U. S. 3s reg ex. int. 102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou 103 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg 102 1-4
U. S. old 4s cou ex. int. 102 1-4
U. S. new 4s, reg 131
U. S. new 4s, cou 131
American Tobacco 4s 77 1-2
American Tobacco 6s ex. int. 98 1-2
A. C. L. 4s 98 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio ex. int. 101
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Seaboard Air Line off ex. int. 84
Southern Railway 115 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s 98 3-4

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S. A. L., pfd.
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Western Union 86

Spot cotton 35 points advance; middling inlands, 10.25; middling gulf, 10.50; sales, 45,705 bales. Quotations follow:

October	9.43	9.83
November	9.60	9.98
December	9.72	10.00
January	9.80	10.05
February	9.90	10.12
March	10.02	10.19
April	10.12	10.22
May	10.15	10.30
June	10.15	10.32
July	10.24	10.36

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, October 1.—A continuance of small receipts in the northwest caused strength in the local wheat market, closing prices in December delivery showing a net gain of 3/4. Corn was unchanged. Oats were up 1/4c. Provisions were 2 1/2c higher.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Open	High	Low	Closed
Dec	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
May	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Corn, No. 2—				
Oct	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Dec	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
May	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	44
Oats, No. 2—				
Dec	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
May	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Jan	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2

Meat, Pork, per bbl.—

Jan 13.40 13.42 13.37 13.42 1/2

Lard Per 100 lbs.—

Oct 8.85 8.85 8.80 8.82 1/2

Nov 8.52 1/2 8.55 8.52 1/2 8.52 1/2

Dec 7.87 1/2 7.87 1/2 7.85 7.87 1/2

Short Ribs Per 100 lbs.—

Oct 8.45 8.45 8.42 1/2 8.45

Jan 7.17 1/2 7.17 1/2 7.15 7.17 1/2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, Firm; No. 2 Spring wheat,

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79@82 1/2; No. 3, 72@81; No. 2 red, 73@73 1/2; No. 2 corn; 47 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 47 1/2@48; No. 2 Oats, 33 1/2; No. 2 white, 34 1/2@35; No. 3 white, 32 1/2@34 1/2; No. 2 rye, 61 1/2; Short ribs, sides (loose), 8.55@8.65; Mess pork per bbl., 16.50; Lard, per 100 lbs., 8.32 1/2; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.62 1/2@8.75; Whiskey, basis high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, October 1.—FLOUR—Firm but slow. Rye flour, firm, 335@3.65.

CORN MEAL—Easy; fine white and yellow, 1.20@1.25; coarse, 1.10@1.12.

WHEAT—Firm; No. 2 red, 79c. elevator. Options, 1@1 1/2 net rise. No. 2 red, May, 86 7-16; December, 83 7-8.

CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 56c. elevator. Options, 1/4 net higher. January, 49 1/2; May, 50 1/2; December, 52 1/2.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 37 1/2. LARD—Steady; Western prime 9.00 @9.10; continent, 9.45.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7, 8 1/2; mild steady, Cordova, 9 1/2@12 1/2. Futures, 5@15 points lower.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 9-16. Centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-16; molasses sugar, 3 5-16. Refined, quiet.

BUTTER—Strong, creamery 19@25 points; State dairy, 18@24.

CHEESE—Firm; full cream, small 12 1/2@13 1/2; large, 10 1/2@13 1/2. Skims, 3@11.

EGGS—Strong; nearby selected, 32 @33; Western fairs, 25@25 1/2.

PEANUTS—Steady, unchanged.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Firm. Cotton by steam, 15c; grain, 1 1/2c.

POTATOES—Easy, Maine per bag, 1.60@1.75; do Long Island per barrel, 1.75@2.00; do Jersey, 2.00 @2.25; sweets Vineland per barrel, 1.50@2.00; do other Jersey per basket, 40@90.

COTTON SEED OIL—Strong and active on bad crop reports. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 28 1/2; spot; prime summer yellow, 41 bid; prime white 46; prime winter yellow, 44.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, October 1.—The dry goods market was quiet but very firm today. Heavy cottons are held at a yard higher and fruit-of-the-loom and lonsdale cottons are sold at value. The princethloth market was active for the day. A better call was reported in cotton dress goods for Fall but the jobbing trade generally was quiet.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, October 1.—Turpentine, firm; rosin, firm, strained common to good, 4.15 to 4.20.

Savannah, October 1.—Turpentine, firm, 62; sales, 592; receipts, 479; shipments, 2,705.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,093; receipts, 2,021; shipments, 7,579; stock, 63,755.

Quote: A. B. C., 3.95; D., 4.05; E., 4.05@4.10; F., 4.10@4.15; G., 4.20; H., 4.25; I., 4.35; K., 4.50@4.60; M., 4.70 @4.85; N., 5.10; W. G., 5.25; W. W., 5.60.

Charleston, October 1.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

Danger from the Plague.

There's growing danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them." "I prevent Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs, and colds. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free.

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Nollsement (Br.), 2,492 tons, Young, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Emma S. Lord, 300 tons, Erskine, C. D. Maffitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Thurber, C. D. Maffitt.

Magnumsaet 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

Fannie Prescott, 316 tons, Flinn, C. D. Maffitt.

Everett Webster, 383 tons, Maxwell, C. D. Maffitt.

Kate B. Ogden, 541 tons, Lamson C. D. Maffitt.

Stanley H. Minor, 567 tons, Dunton, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 1, 1906.

C. C. Railroad—193 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 21 barrels rosin; 38 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—1,638 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 19 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3,640 bales cotton; 34 barrels rosin; 43 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—425 bales cotton; 32 casks spirits turpentine; 64 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—10 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 19 barrels rosin; 44 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—10 casks spirits turpentine; 55 barrels rosin.

Str. Tar Heel—44 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 18 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Compton—36 bales cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. Allen—8 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin.

Total—5,994 bales cotton; 64 casks spirits turpentine; 241 barrels rosin; 59 barrels tar; 173 barrels crude turpentine.

\$10,000,000 LOSS IN LUMBER.

Tens of Thousands of the Finest Trees Blown Down and Immense Numbers of Logs Swept Away.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 30.—It is now believed that the loss to the lumber interest alone by the storm will aggregate \$10,000,000. Tens of thousands of trees of the finest quality have been blown down. The number of logs that have been carried out to sea or driven into inaccessible swamps is enormous. The great majority of trees that had been weakened by being tapped for turpentine were leveled with the ground, and dealers in turpentine are very gloomy over the outlook.

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Pony Rings.

When posies inside wedding rings were first introduced does not seem to be known. Time has covered that, as ne does so many things, with the mosses of oblivion, but we know that from the sixteenth century until the middle of the eighteenth it was customary to have them engraved on rings. These posies or mottoes are seldom to be

SECRETARY TAFT WINNING CUBANS

Delivered Reassuring Speech Yesterday at Opening of the Havana University.

HE WON CORDIAL APPROVAL

Declared That United States Merely Means to Place its Army Under Those of Island Republic to Aid It.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)
Havana, October 1.—The presence of the Secretary of War of the United States in Havana and his assumption of the government of Cuba were unreservedly and enthusiastically approved today by the highest intellectual, social and business elements of the capital.

The scene was enacted in the auditorium of the University of Havana and the audience, in addition to seventy-five students who, according to the custom here, graduate at the beginning of the year, consisted of seven hundred persons, divided equally between men and women.

The welcome accorded to Governor Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon was unexpectedly vigorous and spontaneous. It began from the moment of their arrival and increased as the governor uttered sentiments regarding the American occupation which found an answering response in the hearts of all present. Messrs. Taft and Bacon were deeply impressed and encouraged by the evidence that the provisional government will receive the best aid of the leading Cubans.

Secretary Taft's address at the university in part is as follows:

"The members of the Latin race are accustomed, and not without reason, to characterize us Anglo-Saxons as abrupt and conceited in our view of our power of pushing civilization, but those of us who have come closer to Spanish civilization have been impressed with the consciousness that the Anglo-Saxons have much to learn from the intellectual, refinement, artistic temperament, poetic imagery, high ideals, and courtesy of the Latin and Spanish races. Spain has exerted a tremendous force in civilization and progress, but nations like men, suffer reaction. Great public works erected by Spain testify to her patience and enterprise when we Anglo-Saxons were struggling with less pretentious things.

"But the civilization of Spain and all her institutions were founded on the idea of the control of the State by one man or a few men. That idea has ceased to have force. The Anglo-Saxons have brought to the front the idea that a people who are sufficiently educated to know what their interests were could more safely be trusted to determine how those interests should be preserved than one man or a few men and because in the development of that idea we have the advantage of 200 years self government, we unreasonably plume ourselves with superiority in the knowledge of government which only circumstances have given us.

"It is sad to me to be called to Cuba, and still sadder to President Roosevelt, who is so identified with her liberation that we are here at the time of a stumble in Cuba's progress toward popular government, but it has given us an opportunity to assure you in the name of the President and the American people that we are here only to help you.

"With our arm under your arm we are lifting you again on the path of that wonderful progress you have travelled. We shall, I am confident, be able to point with pride to the fact that the United States is not an exploiting nation but that she has such deep sympathy with the progress of popular government as to be willing to expend her blood and treasure in making the spread of such government in the world successful.

"I am afraid that young Cubans are not sufficiently infused with that mercantile spirit of which we have too much in the United States. What you need is the desire to make money, to found the interests and to carry on the country's prosperity and young Cubans, or rather most of them, ought to begin in business. There would be no trouble in forcing yourselves ahead in the next generation, so that the banks, commercial houses and shipping interests of Cuba would be in Cuban hands instead of in the hands of foreigners. The right of property and the motives of accumulation is the basis of all modern success and civilization, and until you have a community of political influence and control which is affected by the conservative influences of property ownership, successful popular government is impossible.

"Nobody ever achieved a high ideal without falling two or three times, and failures must be made vehicles to success. Each failure ought to teach avoidance of that particular danger. When everything goes smoothly and you see them on the high road of suc-

cess then is the most dangerous time. When humbled by the lessons of disappointment you are in a prospect to win success.

"Viva, the republic of Cuba!"

First Troops Sail for Cuba.

Washington, October 1.—Gonzales de Quesada, minister from Cuba to the United States conferred with Secretary Root regarding the situation in Cuba. Mr. Quesada expressed full confidence in the friendly attitude of this government toward Cuba. Assistant Secretary of State Adee was in frequent conferences during the day with Secretary Root advising him of the details of Cuban affairs.

The battleship Texas, carrying marines ordered to Havana, which has been anchored outside the Virginia capes since last night to await further orders from Secretary Taft, was ordered to proceed on her way to Cuba. After the Texas left Newport News a message came from Secretary Taft, saying he wanted more marines, but did not need any more battleships. Dispatches were sent to him explaining that the Texas was being sent merely as a transport and Secretary Taft then assented to the orders for the Texas to proceed.

Besides the British steamer Marian, just secured as a transport, the War Department has secured the steamer Andes now at Havana as a troop transport. She will proceed at once to Port Tampa and, it is expected, will take to Havana the light battery ordered from Port Sheridan.

General Bell, chief of staff, announced this evening that the transport Sumner would sail tonight from New York for Havana. She will carry the first detachment of troops for the Cuban expedition, consisting of two battalions of infantry from the Plattsburg, N. Y., barracks and one battalion of engineers from the Washington barracks, 900 men in all. The troops will be under command of Colonel Cowles of the Fifth Infantry. In addition to the troops, the Sumner will carry a large consignment of commissary stores.

Brigadier General W. P. Duval, commanding the Department of the Gulf with headquarters, at Atlanta, was at the War Department today in conference with General Bell, chief of the staff and other officers with regard to the movement of the troops in his department that have been ordered to Newport News for embarkation to Cuba. General Duval will leave here this evening at 10:45 o'clock for Atlanta and will hold himself in readiness for orders to Cuba in case any more general officers are required in the enforcement of the peaceful occupation of the island.

Preparations to Handle Troops.

Newport News, Va., October 1.—Preparations for handling troops going to Cuba are being completed here. The government has leased two hundred acres of land on the river above this city is a site for the commissary depot and encampment. A contract has been let to Trant & Co., of Norfolk, for about one million feet of lumber to be used in the construction of warehouses and corrals. Major Mann, of the general staff, stated tonight that no troops would arrive here for several days and he had not been notified of the coming of any transports.

ROOSEVELT IN WASHINGTON.

President Returned Yesterday from His Summer Home.

Washington, October 1.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt and three of their children, Miss Ethel and Archie and Quilten, returned to Washington at 4:20 o'clock this afternoon from their summer home at Oyster Bay where they have spent the past three months. The President looked the picture of health as he stepped from the train, and cordially greeted a number of acquaintances who were awaiting his arrival. He and Mrs. Roosevelt entered their carriage and were driven to the White House.

The President and his party occupied a special car which had been attached to the regular Pennsylvania railroad train from New York. In addition to his family, those with him included the wife to Secretary Loeb and her infant child, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Richardson, of New York, intimate friends of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and who are to be guests of the White House, and M. C. Latta, the assistance secretary to the President, and several of the White House clerical staff. The President's car was detached from the train before reaching the station and shifted to a side entrance where the carriage was waiting. Here various officials of the government had gathered to welcome the chief executive on his return home. The President was the first to make his appearance as his special car came to a stop. Surrounded by a squad of policemen and headquarters detectives, Mr. Roosevelt made the way to his carriage. The remainder of the party following his lead. It was raining slightly when the President arrived and the hood of the carriage had to be raised as it proceeded by Pennsylvania avenue to the White House.

United States Commissioner A. C. Garrett, at Newport News last night held for the Federal grand jury Fred Bucks, the prisoner who was brought up on the cruiser Columbia last night from Cuba. Bucks stabbed Alvin G. Taylor, a government employ, in a fight in Quantanamo bay last May.

Since that time he has been confined on board the Monitor Amphitrite. The prisoner and three witnesses, two Indian negroes, and a government laborer, were taken to Richmond last night by Deputy Marshal West. Bucks is a Georgia negro.

MEAT DEALERS AND PACKERS.

Some So Slow They Didn't Know it Was Loaded.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, October 1.—At least 75 meat dealers and packers throughout the United States are without the pale of the new meat inspection law, which became effective today, according to a statement by Secretary Dillon today. Twenty-five of these already have had inspections, but it was found that their plants were not in shape to permit them to engage in interstate business. Fifty others, many of them from New York, have notified the Department that they have just heard of the extent of the law and asked for inspection.

The Marine Hospital Service at Washington has been notified by cable from Havana of the appearance of two new cases of yellow fever there, making seven cases reported during the past week.

At Parker, S. D., Mrs. H. E. Collins wife of a farmer, is dead and Dr. Collins and two children are very ill, as a result of chloroform administered by burglars Sunday night. The robbers secured only \$200.

Populous Cheese.

A professor of the Swiss Dairy school at Sonthal has compiled statistics of the number of micro organisms found in cheese. His experiments lead to the conclusion that every gram (one-thirtieth part of an ounce) of fresh Emmentaler (Swiss) cheese contains between 50,000 and 100,000 living germs. After two months the number has increased to 800,000. Cream cheese contains a still larger number of animalcules, a gram harboring after three weeks 750,000, rising to 2,000,000 after a month and a half. These figures apply only to the center of the cheese, while close to the rind families numbering 5,500,000 bacteria may be found in every gram of cheese. In about one and a half pounds of cream cheese, the professor estimates, there are as many germs as there are human beings on the face of the globe. It is supposed that all or most of these micro-organisms are "friendly" ones and assist in the digestive process. We hope so.

—Grocery.

"Home, Sweet Home."

Probably no one would have been more surprised than Sir Henry Bishop himself could he have foreseen that a single melody in one of his numerous operas would achieve such celebrity that at the present day it is still being led by prima donnas at fashionable concerts, jangled on street organs and loved by a vast public that knows nothing of music, properly so called, as the purest representation of the English spirit—"Home, Sweet Home." "Clari, the Maid of Milan," the opera in which this favorite song occurred, has long been consigned to the limbo of forgotten musical works, but "Home, Sweet Home," survives with undiminished popularity and is likely to survive when many more pretentious compositions have followed "The Maid of Milan" into oblivion.—Cornell Magazine.

Women and Mirrors.

"We carry lots of women clear to the top floor or at least several floors up and then they take the next elevator down without going three steps away from the elevator," declared the operator of one of the "lifts" in a big office building. "No, it isn't because they like to ride in the elevators particularly. Why do they do it? To get the use of the mirrors, of course. See those mirrors on either side of the elevator? That's what attracts them. A bit of wind will strike them and they turn the corner by a big building and then they imagine that their hair is badly disarranged and make for the nearest mirror, which is in the elevator."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

When to Eat Cotton.

When one by accident swallows an object not intended for eating it is a wise precaution to send after it a quantity of absorbent cotton which has been picked into fine threads and mixed in bread and milk. The button, safety pin or whatever it may be gathers the cotton about it, thus covering up any rough edge or sharp point and allowing it to pass through the stomach and intestines without causing injury.

The Simple Bride.

Bride (after the return from the bridal tour)—I see by this medical work that a man requires eight hours' sleep and a woman ten. Bridegroom—Yes, I've read that somewhere myself. Bride—How nice! You can get up every morning and have the fire made and the breakfast ready before it is time for me to get up.—London Tit-Bits.

Why They Preach.

The distinction between a good preacher and a bad preacher has not changed much since Archbishop Whately declared that "a good preacher preached because he had something to say and a bad preacher because he had to say something."

Another Rejection.

Poetess—I got quilts last night with the editor who rejects all my verses. Friend—What did you do? Poetess—I rejected his son.—London Tit-Bits.

A Matter of Nose.

In spite of the important place given to the nose as an index of character, there is but little to be learned from it in estimating the causes of an innate bond between the mind and the features. Most of the correspondences which have been remarked appear to be of a radical order, but why a Roman nose first became associated with a warlike and domineering disposition or how a long and thin nose became linked with business prudence is more than I can say. If we omit the changes which take place in a nose during the lifetime of its possessor, there is scarcely a nasal peculiarity of value to the physiognomist which at the same time is cosmopolitan. No Tartar or Hottentot, however warlike, could give proof of it in this way. Japan has shown that she possesses plenty of men with military aptitude, but no Wellingtonian nose can be found within her borders. Again, no Chinese nose is long and thin, yet John is not without a certain aptitude at driving bargains.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Music and the Tortoise.

The Egyptians, according to the sage Apollodorus, credit their Hermes or Mercury with the invention of music under the following circumstances: The Nile, having overflowed its banks and inundated nearly all of Egypt, on its return to its banks left on its shores various dead animals and among the rest a tortoise, the flesh having dried and wasted in the sun until nothing remained in the shell but cartilages. These, being tightened by the drying heat, became sonorous. Mercury, walking along the banks of the river, happened to strike his foot against this shell, was so pleased with the sound produced that the idea of the lyre suggested itself, and he constructed a lyre of the shell of a large tortoise, which he strung with the sinews of dead animals. Dryden wrote:

Less than a god they thought they could not dwell
Within the hollow of that shell
That spoke so sweetly.

Papyrus.

The papyrus used by the ancient Egyptians was made from the stems of a peculiar water reed growing in all parts of Egypt. The outside layer of the plant was removed, and beneath this there were found a number of layers of a delicate, pithy membrane. These, being separated, were placed in layers. A second layer was laid at right angles to and above the first and sometimes a third over the second. Heavy pressure was then applied, and the layers were firmly cemented into a fair article of paper. No gum other than what was contained in the plant itself was used in the process. The papyrus was very much stronger than the average paper made by the modern machines. The sheets were commonly made from six to twelve inches square.

Two Monster Beetles.

The largest bug known to the old world entomologists is the gigantic Goliath beetle, which is found along the Kongo river in Africa. Goliath is upward of six inches in length from the tip of his nose to the nether end of his hard shelled body and has a pair of gauzy wings folded up under his arms, either of which is as large as a lady's face veil. But Goliath is a pygmy when compared with the elephant beetle of Venezuela, an entomological giant which weighs nearly a pound and which has a wing spread equal to that of a mallard duck. Both of these bugs are rare.

Kissing in Iceland.

When you visit a family in Iceland you must kiss each member according to his age or rank, beginning with the highest and descending to the lowest, not even excepting the servants. On taking leave the order is reversed. You first kiss the servants, then the children and lastly the master and mistress. Both at meeting and parting an affectionate kiss on the mouth without distinction of rank, age or sex, is the only mode of salutation known in Iceland.

Wood of the Cross.

The people of the different countries have their various traditions concerning the wood of which the cross was made. In England the peasants say that it was of elderwood and that lightning never strikes that tree. Dean French in a note to his "Sacred Latin Poetry" declares that it was made of the wood of the aspen and that since the day of the crucifixion the leaves of that tree have never ceased to shudder.

One Exception.

"Where there's a winner there's always a loser."
"Not always."
"Well, name an instance to the contrary."
"When you're playing cards with your girl for kisses."

An Impression.

"Now I have an impression in my head," said the teacher. "Can any of you tell me what an impression is?"
"Yes, I can," replied a little fellow at the foot of the class. "An impression is a dent in a soft spot."

Badly Put.

Fisherman (beginner)—Don't you think, Peter, I've improved a good deal since I began? Peter (anxious to pay a compliment)—You have, sort. But, sure, it was easy for you to improve, sort!—Punch.

Brag.

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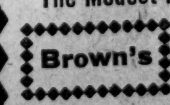
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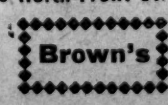
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